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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: JIJEL STEEL MILL

1. GOA HAS ANNOUNCED SIGNING OF CONTRACT WITH BELGIAN FIRM, ENGINEERING TRACTIONNEL, FOR DESIGN AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT OF PROPOSED JIJEL STEEL MILL. THIS CONTRACT EFFECTIVELY IS EXTENSION OF PREVIOUS TRACTIONNEL CONTRACT FOR PRELIMINARY DESIGN, PREPARATION OF SPECIFICATIONS AND EVALUATION OF BIDS. PERHAPS PRIMARY SIGNIFICANCE THIS CONTRACT IS INDICATION THAT GOA MIGHT BE PREPARING MOVE FORWARD ON JIJEL PROJECT, WHICH HAS BEEN MORE OR LESS DORMANT FOR PAST YEAR.

2. THERE AT LEAST THREE AND POSSIBILITY FOUR INTERNATIONAL CONSORTIA BIDDING ON CONTRACT FOR EXECUTION OF THIS PROJECT. ALL CONSORTIA, TO BEST OF EMBASSY'S KNOWLEDGE, HAVE SOME DEGREE OF US INVOLVEMENT. OF THOSE US FIRMS INTERESTED, EMBASSY BELIEVES ONLY ONE MIGHT NOT ALREADY BE AWARE OF LATEST DEVELOPMENT IS MIDREX CROP. WE REQUEST USDOC TELEPHONE MR. GABRIELE CARINCI, MIDREX CORP, CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA, TEL 704-373-1600, TO ADVISE HIM OF CONTENTS PARA ONE ABOVE. UNCLASSIFIED

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